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# **Tech Sheet: Grumman Mallard G-73**

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### Section 1: Canopy/Cockpit/Fuselage Covers

**Canopy Covers** help reduce damage to your airplane's upholstery and avionics caused by excessive heat, and they can eliminate problems caused by leaking door and window seals. They keep the windshield and window surfaces clean and help prevent vandalism and theft.

The **Grumman Mallard G-73 Canopy Cover** is custom-designed for each model, as well as your aircraft's specific antenna and temperature probe placements, if applicable. The Canopy Cover is designed to enclose the windshield, side windows and canopy roof. The Canopy Cover attaches using adjustable "belly straps", which run under the belly and connect to the other side of the cover with a quick-release plastic buckle. When requested, it is also sometimes possible to design Canopy covers that can attach to the aircraft fuselage using pop-riveted snap-heads at the rear and snap-head screws on the engine cowl.

This cover type is made from Silver Acrylic Sunbrella canvas and is 100% lined with a soft and smooth microfiber. Bruce's Custom Covers developed this material combination especially for aircraft protection. The outer material is medium weight and treated for water resistance, UV resistance and anti-static buildup. The inner lining is a very soft and smooth microfiber to prevent scratching. The material is very reflective, and tests show that the cabin interior temperature can be reduced to near-ambient temperature on the hottest of days. It is water, ice and snow repellent, yet breathable to allow moisture to escape from between the cover and the aircraft surface.

Canopy Covers are commonly referred to as Cabin Covers, Fuselage Covers, Canvas Covers, Canopy Caps, etc.



Canopy Cover for the Grumman HU-16 Albatross



Grumman Mallard Pitot Cover with Install Tool

Description	Part Number	Price
CANOPY COVER	G73-000	\$1205.00

### Section 2: Engine/Prop Covers

The **Grumman Mallard G-73 Propeller Cover** is a one-piece design that form fits to the blades and spinner. The prop cover slips over the blades and spinner and is attached by a plastic all-weather zipper on the bottom of the blades. Propeller covers can be made for multiple numbers of blades, and for wooden, composite or metal props. The Propeller Cover is normally made from Acrylic *Sunbrella* or Solution-Dyed Polyester and is lined 100% with a soft and smooth microfiber. **Insulated Propeller Covers** works well in cold climates to help with engine preheating. These insulated versions are made with a thicker, quilted, water-repellent, and breathable material.

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Description	Part Number	Price
PROPELLOR/SPINNER COVERS, 3 Blade (set of 2)	G73-120	\$980.00
INSULATED PROPELLOR/SPINNER COVERS, 3 Blade (set of 2)	G73-125	\$1320.00

## Section 3: Plugs & Protection

**Grumman Mallard G-73 Pitot Tube Covers**, NOT HEAT RESISTANT TYPE, are made of Naugahyde vinyl, and are designed to cover the entire pitot assembly. Slipping over the tube, the cover tightens around the base with a Velcro strap detail. A "Remove Before Flight" streamer is attached to the cover. **Heat Resistant Pitot Covers** are an upgrade to this design, and help prevent the pitot cover from melting onto the tube if the pitot heat is accidentally turned on while installed. If you want the set tethered together, please let us know.

Engine Inlet Plugs are custom fit for your Grumman Mallard G-73 intakes, made with heavy-duty vinyl material, and stuffed with a single block of sculpted urethane foam. Each plug has a zipper that allows the foam to be removed and dried if necessary. Engine plugs have warning flags that are visible from the cockpit or 'remove before flight' streamers sewn onto the face of the plugs. Most plugs are imprinted with the aircraft registration number in black for an extra charge. Storage bag NOT included. Engine plugs may be inserted after flight when the engine is still warm. Engine Inlet Plugs are commonly referred to as Cowl Plugs, Intake Plugs,

#### Cowl Blocks, Engine Blocks, and Engine Bungs.

Description	Part Number	Price
ENGINE INLET PLUGS w/turbine conversion (set of 2)	G73-130	\$190.00
PITOT COVERS w/ install tool (set of 3)	G73-800	\$210.00

#### Section 5: HeatShields & Sun Reflectors

**Cockpit Heatshields** are interior sunshades for the aircraft's cockpit. The product is a unique composite of closed-cell foam with a silver mylar finish. The semi-rigid design is stiff enough to stand inside the window framing. The set folds up flat and is easily stored in the included storage sleeve. Some designs may require velcro and suction cups. A Heatshield is an excellent short-term remedy for cockpit overheating, but an external fabric cover is more effective for long-term protection.

Description	Part Number	Price
COCKPIT HEATSHIELDS (set of 4)	G73-900	\$340.00

## Section 7: Light Weight Products: Travel Covers and FlyAway Covers

The **Lightweight Travel Canopy Cover** will cover the same area as our standard Canopy Cover, but the material used is very lightweight and will fold up and store in a much smaller space. This cover is ideal for the airplane that is stored in a hangar full-time and only needs a cover on rare occasions.

Travel Covers are made with Silver Solution-Dyed Polyester fabric and only lined over the windshield to save weight. The material is lightweight and more compact for easy stowage in the aircraft. The polyester material is water resistant, but only intended for occasional use outside. We also have an ultra lightweight material available for fitted hangar dust covers. For daily outdoor use, the non-travel Sunbrella Cover is the best choice.

Description	Part Number	Price
TRAVEL COVER, Light Weight Canopy Cover	G73-810	\$965.00

Prices subject to change. Other Covers and Design Alterations: Prices on request.

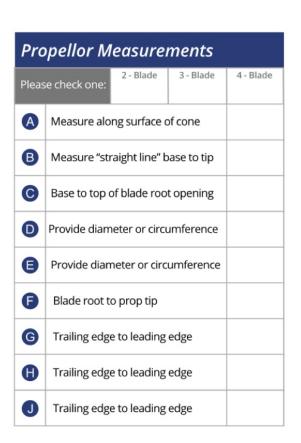
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Instructions: Measure to the nearest 1/8" and only fill in what applies. You may email, fax or phone in the measurements.

Aircraft Reg / Tail Number:	Aircraft Type:	Year:
Name:	Phone & Email:	







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Optional Items (check the box of the item you want)  Imprint aircraft registration number onto both sides of canopy cover\$30.00  Imprint aircraft registration number onto Jet intake covers\$50.00				

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